

<b><u>LICENSE NO.</u></b>	STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION  1001 I STREET SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA 95814 (916) 445-4038 <b>PEST CONTROL BUSINESS LICENSE MAINTENANCE GARDENER</b>	  <b>THIS LICENSE EXPIRES</b>
<b>= POST THIS LICENSE PROMINENTLY IN PUBLIC VIEW =</b> THIS LICENSE IS NOT TRANSFERABLE - ANY CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP REQUIRES A NEW LICENSE		

### ***Who Needs It?***

For persons who perform pest control for hire (advertises, solicits, or operates as a pest control business) incidental to their business of maintenance gardening (FAC section 11704[a]). The incidental pest control is limited to ornamental and turf plantings indoors, in commercial parks, or surrounding structures (FAC section 11704[b]). This includes maintenance gardening work in parks, golf courses, cemeteries, rights-of-ways, and other similar sites.

Exemptions: Persons doing pest control, incidental to new construction, are not required to obtain this business license. This would include construction work such as paving parking lots or driveways, establishing new landscape, or building homes or other structures.

### ***What's Required?***

- Have at least one person in a supervisory position who holds a valid QAC or QAL with the Maintenance Gardener (Category Q) or the Landscape Maintenance (Category B) Pest Control Category at each location (FAC section 11704[a])
- Fulfill financial responsibility requirement (FAC section 11701[c][2] and 3 CCR section 6524)
- Fictitious Business Name Statement from the County Clerk's Office (FAC section 11702[a])
- Certificate of Good Standing for companies that are corporations - obtained for a fee from the Secretary of State (FAC 11702[a])
- License fee of \$80.00 per year (FAC section 11704[c])

### ***Additional Requirements!***

- Register with the county agricultural commissioner (CAC) in each county where work is performed (FAC section 11732)
- Retain records of pesticide use for two years (3 CCR section 6624)
- Submit pesticide use report records to CAC (3 CCR sections 6626 and 6627)
- Have valid permits for restricted materials used (3 CCR section 6632)

References: Food and Agricultural Code sections 11403, 11701 - 11741 and  
Title 3, California Code of Regulations section 6522 - 6524.